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Chronological History,
OF
William *and* Harriett Moore.

AND
THEIR RELATIVES AND DECENDENTS.

TOGETHER WITH
An account of their travels from the time
they left England, with their
parents, until their
death.

ALSO A SKETCH OF
THE LIVES OF THEIR CHILDREN.

Published in the year 1904. by U. S. Moore.
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AN EXPLANATION

DEAR RELATIVES:- A few excuses and apologies may be in order. It has been very difficult to steal time from my farming duties, to work at the book; which accounts for the many years I have been at it; and in the limited odd times that I worked at it, much of the work was done winter evenings, I would hurry along and have used abbreviations and figures often, where full words would look better.

I set the type by hand, and printed it on a small hand press, one page at a time; making over 30 000 impressions and 7500 sheets to fold once.

Now, as you can plainly see, it is the work of an amateur; I have never even been in a print shop to see how the work is done, So I hope you will all overlook the faults and mistakes, and kindly appreciate the good you find in it.

Sincerely : Yours,

Sincerely Yours,
U. S. Moore.

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Introduction.

It is with a belief that my efforts will be appreciated by most of the loved ones, especially those directly interested, to place in book form a narrative of the travels, and hardships of our father and mother, And a record of their relatives, and decendants.

As far as the cronology is concerned, it has been attempted to make it as exact as the limited means of information in my possession would allow; and discrepancies discovered must be charged, with all possible leniency, to the defectiveness of unaided memory.

The author hereby extends his hearty thanks to all those who have assisted in any wise, in the preparation of this book. May this record help to hold in remembrance, all the loved ones,

wheather those that have gone to a better land,
or those that still "Cluster 'round our home."

Let us not be so absorbed in our present duties as to forget those who were dear to us in our childhood. many of them are in distant climes,

Write to them often, let them know that you love them yet, and hope to meet them all in a Home where there is no more parting.

FOR

"They grew in beauty side by side;

They filled one home with glee.

Their graves are scatter'd far and wide,

By mount', and stream, and sea."





**THE OLD HOME, Built in the Summer
of 1882. Where father and mother died.**



William Moore.

William Moore, The subject of this chapter; was born in Northampton. Northampton County England. July the 16 th 1812.

His fathers name was Samuel, and his mothers name was Sarah (Beach) Moore his grandfathers name was John Moore. his maternal grandparents were George and Mary Beach. He was next to the oldest of twelve children.

In 1830. when he was eighteen years old, he emigrated with his parents, to America. landing in New York. after a long, tedious journey across the ocean in a sailing vessel. They then traveled by boat, up the Erie Canal, to Utica, Oneida County, N. Y.

Arriving at Utica. William soon found employment in the silk mills at that place, where he worked for some time. But this kind of work

did not long suit this strong, hardy young man, he longed to see more of this great country, to which he had come for liberty, and to gain a home of his own. he wished to try his fortune farther west.

Accordingly about two years after they settled in Utica, he determined to go as far west as Michigan, and bidding his parents, and brothers and sisters, farewell, and taking an ax (which he carried all the way to Michigan), and a small bundle, started out on foot and alone, and walked to Dearborn, Wayne County, Michigan.

There he soon found work in a brick-yard, at eight dollars a month, which was considered good wages, but on account of his dexterity in moulding brick, and his industrious habits, always doing as much as he could during working hours, and working to his employers' interests, he was paid the highest wages, and found it easy to hold a job, or obtain work at any time. He used to say "There is always plenty of work for those

that are willing to work honestly, and to their employers intrests."

He worked in the brick-yard about one year, when he obtained work at better wages, logging, and hauling logs to a saw-mill, for Captain Howard, who owned and operated a large saw-mill in Dearborn.

He remained with Captain Howard, for about two years, working early and late, and in all kinds of weather, He hauled Rail Road ties from the saw-mill. He hauled the first load of ties for the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern. R. R. then being built across the state from Detroit to Lake Michigan.

During the three years he has been in Michigan, he has saved enough money to buy three forty acre pieces, of government land, near Pinkney, Livingston County, Michigan, where he afterward made a home.

There was another man in Captain Howards employ, by the name of, John Bennett, who lives

in one of his houses near by, and boards some of his working men. Mr. Bennett, has some lovely daughters, one especially, Miss. Hattie. whom William learns to love, and is loved by her in return. for when he asks her to be his wife he meets with no opposition from the maiden herself, or her parents. and the happy day is named. We will leave him now, - in this blissful state, - until his wedding day. And we will go back and see what has become of his parents and the rest of the family.

His parents, after living in Utica, about four years, moved to Syracuse, N. Y. one Spring, and the next Autumn, they moved from there to Wayne County, Mich. where his father worked for Captain Howard. for awhile, and then made a home on one of the fourty acre pieces of land William had bought and built a log house thereon for him. where he lived until he died, in 1862.

He was a small man, and always walked with a cane. Williams mother, was a large woman,

dark complected, and rather loud spoken. she died in 1860.

Of his brothers and sisters, Mary, was the oldest. She was married in England, to a man by the name of Lake. They came to America about twenty years after her parents did and settled at Utica, N. Y. They had some children, one girl was born in 1825. That is about all the information we have been able to gain of them.

Lydia; (the sister next younger than William,) died in Utica, about six months after they came there.

Another sister, Martha. was married in Utica. to Jacob S. Roe. a widower, who had a family of four children, two boys of them are now living in California. She came to Michigan, with her husband, before her parents. and after a time they moved to Wisconsin. where they lived about twelve years. Then in 1849, they went by waggon train, overland, to California and settled in Stanislaw County, on a farm. he died in 1860.

and Martha died in 1866. One child, a girl, was born to them in Utica, N. Y. she now lives in California.

Hannah, the youngest sister, was married in Michigan to John Fowler two children were born to them. Hannah died in Livingston County, Michigan. when about thirty years old.

John, married a Miss. Doratha Van Blarican. one boy and one girl were born to them. The boy died in July 1857. The girl, Lydia Ann, married a man in N. Y. John died in Michigan. Doratha afterward lived in An Arbor, Mich.

THOMAS MOORE. was married in N. Y. He went from there to Iowa. and from there to Minnesota. where he lived for a time, and moved to California, and from there to Yakima, Yakima County, Washington, where he died. They had three sons and three daughters, Charles, George, and William. Mary, who married Charles Sherwood, in Minnesota. Hulda, who married a Mr. Copps. and lives at North Yakima, Washington.

The other daughter's name we do not know.

SAMUELL MOORE, died in Michigan, when about eighteen years old. After about three days sickness.

GEORGE MOORE, was born in 1825. He traveled from Michigan, to Colusa County California, in the spring of 1850, by overland waggon train. Came back to Michigan, in fall of '56 remained there until spring of '59, when he went back to California. Then in 1882, he came to Illinois, and stoped with his brothers William and Beach for awhile, then went on to Michigan, and back to California in the spring of '83. and returned to Illinois in the spring of '96. And in the fall of 1899, he bought a little place near Augusta, Des Moines County, Iowa, where he now lives. He has never married.

BEACH MOORE, was born July, 8th. 1828. He came from Michigan to Henderson County, Illinois, in March. 1853. In 1859, he was married to Mrs. Amelia Crane. a daughter of John and

Temperance Curts. She died Dec. 28th. 1876. No children being born to them. Since then he has married Miss. Alice Trainer. They live on his old homestead, two miles South of Carman, Illinois. In 1860 he was in the Rocky Mountains engaged in mining and logging. He made the trip with an Ox team along with a train of emigrants. He spent one year at Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. In the pinery.

JOSEPH MOORE, the youngest that was born in England, died while crossing the Ocean, and was buried at sea about three weeks sailing from New York.

Another child was born to them after they settled in Michigan, a boy, whom they also named JOSEPH. He started from Wayne Indiana, for California, in 1849, with an emigrant train, across the plains. And although the train was heard from several times, it is not known whether he ever reached California or not. He never was heard from after he started.

MARY ANN BENNETT, was born at Ipswich, England. She came to America with her parents and was married to Edmond Kirkham. And settled at New Haven, Michigan.

Mary Ann Kirkham died August 28 th. 1892. and her husband, Edmond Kirkham, died December 14 th, 1893. They were the parents of nine children as follows. Emeline, Adaline, Ada, Almira, Miranda, Ardilla, Sally, Giles, and Malon.

Emeline Kirkham was married to Ted Coddington. Their four children are Mary, John, William, and Isaac. Mary; was married to a Mr. Finn, who died soon after. John; married a Miss Door, and has two children. They live at Genoa, Michigan, near Crooked Lake, on a farm. William died in infancy. Isaac is still unmarried and lives in Howell Michigan, with his mother, who has parted from her husband.

ADALINE KIRKHAM was married to Josiah Remington. Misfortune followed them and he broke a leg. They finally parted, and he married

again, and has one child. Adaline died July, 30, 1889. after a long sickness, and much suffering. They had four children, Lillis, Betsy, Alvena, and Jesse. Lillis was married to a Mr. Green, he worked in a saw mill, and about a year after they were married his leg was broken, and he has always to walk with crutches. Since then he has been night watch in the mill. They have two children. Betsy was married to a Mr Cory. They are now living at Mt. Clements, Michigan. they have two children. Alvena died when quite young.

ADA KIRKHAM was married to Daniel Sutherland October 20 th 1867. He was a soldier in the Cival war, he enlisted in 1862, and served three years in the 22 nd, Michigan Volinteer Infantry. Company F. was discharged in 1865. they have lived in Macomb County, Michigan. ever since. Eight children were born to them. as follows, Bertie, Frank, Eben, Ella, Lantie, Henry, Carriehattie, and Archie.

Bertie was born September 13 th 1868. he married Malissia Dennett, December 4 th 1890. they had three children, Claud, born Jan. 18 th 1892, Floyd, born Jan. 23 rd 1894. died Nov. 23 1898. Claton, born June 22 1896. Bertie and Malissia died within a few days of each other Malissia Aug. 11 th, and Bertie Aug. 18 th 1896. The two remaining children, Claud and Claton, are living with their mothers sister, Mrs. Lewis Myers. at Mead, Michigan.

Frank was born Jan. 20. and died when nine days old. Eben was born Sep. 5, 1871. and died Jan. 10 1884. Henry was born April 3rd 1877, and died Sep. 25 th 1884. Carriehattie was born Aug. 30 1879, and died Sep. 7 1882. Out of the eight children only two are living. Lant was born July 11 1875, and Archie was born Jan. 16. 1882. and are living at New Haven, Mich.

ALMIRA KIRKHAM married a Mr. Fox, he worked in a furnace in Detroit. He is now dead. Their children are Albert; Eliza, Archie, and others.

MIRANDA KIRKHAM died in infancy

ARDILLA KIRKHAM was married to Henry Chapman. Their children are, Edward, Minnie, and William. Edward married Miss. Zenobia Ely. They had one child, Max. who died in Dec. 1899, and the mother died the following Autumn of grief for her child. Minnie married a M. Corkins, and now lives in Detroit, Michigan. They have one child. William is still unmarried, and lives in Howell, Mich.

SALLY KIRKHAM and John F. Lowe, were married June 2nd, 1867, in Macomb County, Mich. They moved from there to Marrion, Livingston Co. Mich. in Sep. 1878, to care for their grandfather, John Bennett, who lived at that time in a log house, on sixteen acres of land joining Henry Batrams.

Grandmother Bennett died two years previous, October, 11th. 1876. Age eighty-one years.

Grandfather, John Bennett, died July, 26 1881.

Mr and Mrs. Lowe have lived on the old place, in the same old log house, ever since. They have eight children as follows,

Alice Viola, born Mar. 4 th, 1868.

Lucinda Melina, June, 23 rd, 1872.

Charles Clarkson, July, 26 th, 1875.

John Edwin, December, 23 rd, 1878.

Eva Olivia. June, 27 th, 1882.

Mary Louisa, June, 26 th, 1884.

Hattie Ruth, August, 12 th, 1886.

Floyd William, April, 13 th, 1889.

Sally Kirkham was born September, 5 th, 1850.

GILES KIRKHAM lives in Washington, Michigan. and is married.

MALON KIRKHAM, is married, and lives in New Haven, Mich. on the old place.

ISABELL BENNETT, died in England.

KEZIAH BENNETT, was born at Bustles, England. August, 13, 1822. She came with her parents to America, and was married June, 10, 1839 to William Love, at Marrion, Michigan. where

they always lived. Her husband, Wm. Love, died Oct. 12, 1866. after that she resided on the old homestead, now owned by her son Frank, until her death. Oct, 3, 1890. The following is an extract from a letter written at that time.

Howell, Mich. Oct. 6, 1890.

Dear Aunt Harriett:— It is with sorrow that I write to let you know of my Dear kind mothers death. After one year of pain and suffering, six months of which was spent in bed, she died the 3rd of this month 2:30 o'clock A M. Twenty-four years since my father died. She prayed to die, that she might be out of pain. Sunday she was laid away to rest. Her text was Matt. 11. - 23 29. Her death was caused by a malignant tumorous cancer.

Yours in sorrow. Good bye.

Charlott Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Love, were the parents of ten children as follows, Mary, Emma, Eliza, Ellen, Amanda, Charlotte, Frank, Rose, Lydia, and Nora.

MARY LOVE was born March, 9, 1840. She was married to Benjamin Mattles May, 21, 1858.

Their four childsen are, Lavina Annettie, born March, 8, 1859, She was married Feb, 17, 1878. to Lewis N. Spice. They live in Choctah, Mich.

Wm. Arron, was born Sep. 3, 1861. He was scalded to death, May, 17, 1863, Orra Millie was born March 5, 1864. She was married to Lewis Marr. May, 21, 1882. They live in Lafayette Gratiot County, Mich. Mary Keziha, was born on the 4th. of Nov. 1875. and was married. on the 4th of Nov 1895. to Claud B. Dean They live in Oak Grove, Michigan.

EMMA LOVE was born Feb, 28, 1842, She was married to Daniel T Wallace, Nov. 13, 1861 They went to Austin, Nevada. where they lived for twenty-five years, then they sold their lands there and bought in California. at Bishop, Inyo County, where they now reside. The chronology of their four children, are given as follows:

Della Theresa,—Born Oct. 10, 1862. Was married Nov. 10, 1887. to Samuel E. McIntire. They live at Austin, Nevada. and have three children as follows: Wallace B.—born April 30, 1889. Lesley R.— June, 29, 1894. Gladys L.— May, 2, 1901.

ARTHUR E. WALLACE,— was born Dec. 18, 1865. He married Mattie Watson, Aug. 14, 1901. They live at Genoa, Nevada. They have no children.

GEORGE LOVE WALLACE,— was born April, 26, 1873. He married Lulu Hampton April, 24, 1895. Their three children are Roy E.— born Mar, 23, 1896. Arthur G.— born June, 1, 1898. Luella,— born the 4th of July, 1900.

EMMA KEZIAH WALLACE, was born September 10, 1876.

ELIZA LOVE. Was born on the 19th of Mar. 1844. She was united in marriage Nov. 19, 1863 to Sheriden Drew. They live in Marriion Michigan. They have five children as follows:

BYRON G. DREW born Aug, 14, 1864. He died Sep, 10, 1865. EULA M. DREW was born Mar. 21, 1866. She grew to womanhood and became a very successful school teacher. She was married to Willard Hoyt, Sep. 19, 1901. when they both attended, and graduated from the schools at

Ypsilanti, Mich. this being the second time for her, this time she obtained the degree of B. P. D. They are now teaching in Chicago Ill.

MARY N. DREW, was born Nov. 20, 1867. and was also a teacher. She was married to Fr  drick Phelps, on the 15 th, of August. She is now parted from her husband, and lives near Howell, Mich. CARRIE DREW, was born Sep. 5, 1871. and died July, 1, 1873.

ARTHUR DREW, born Feb. 20, 1874. He was married Apr. 3, 1901. to his second cousin, Louisa Marlow. They live near Howell, Mich.

ELLEN LOVE, was born July, 20, 1848. She was married to Moses T. Lyons, Mar. 30, 1870. They have no children of their own, but have adopted a boy. They live near Howell, Mich.

AMANDA LOVE was born Oct. 3, 1850. She was married Jan. 22, 1872. to Moses Thomas they live near Howell, Mich. They are the parents of four children as follows: BLANCHE THOMAS born Nov. 1872. She was married to

Thomas Hammond Dec. 3, 1899. They are now living at Owosso, Mich. Their child, Francis, was born Nov. 16, 1900. BERTHA THOMAS was born Aug. 3, 1876. and was married to Alten Basing Mar. 25, 1868. They live at Howell, Michigan. CARA THOMAS was born Oct. 4, 1880. CLYDE THOMAS was born Nov. 22, 1883.

CHARLOTTE LOVE, was born Feb. 3, 1854. she lives at the old home with her brother, Frank.

FRANK LOVE, was born Feb, 12, 1857. He is not married, He lives on the old homestead near Howell, Michigan.

ROSA LOVE was born April, 29, 1859. She was married to James Kirkham, (a nephew of Edmund Kirkham, who married Mary A. Bennett) their only child, Ira, was born Oct. 4, 1880. Rosa died Mar, 3, 1895.

LYDIA LOVE was born in June, 1861. and died in July, same year.

NORA LOVE was born Nov. 19, 1862. and died Sep. 12, 1865.

ELIJAH BENNETT. Was born in England, He died soon after they landed in America, when quite young.

JAMES BENNETT, Was born and died in Canada

ELIZABETH BENNETT. Was born in Canada. She came to Michigan with her parents, and was married Aug. 15, 1851. to Henry Batram, who died April, 10, 1887. age 63 years. Their two children are William and Mary. William was born July, 20, 1852. He died June, 11, 1876. from the effects of measles.

MARY BATRAM was born Nov. 1, 1857. She was married to Charles Marlow, Nov. 14, 1878. They live near Howell Mich. Their only child, Louisa, was born June, 27, 1882. She was given a good education, after which she taught school for a time, and was married April, 3, 1901. to her second cousin, Arthur Drew. They have one child, a boy, born Dec. 7, 1903.

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William Moore, and Harriett Bennett

were married on the eighth day of May, 1838. at the brides parents, near Dearborn. Michigan. by a Justice of the Peace.

About a week after they were married, they moved into their new home: a double log house 12 x 24 feet, divided into two rooms, with a large chimney in the center and a fire-place on each side, making one in each room.

William had built this house before they were married on the land he had previously bought, about two miles from Pinkney, Livingston County, Michigan.

He made most of their furniture in a rude way, for it had taken most of his money to pay for his land, and build a home, and furnish it.

They did not have things very grand, did not dress very stylish, or set a very expensive table. For at that time flour cost them eight dollars a barrel. Calico twenty-five to fifty cents a yard, and

a spool of thread cost eighteen cents, and other things in proportion, wages and price of grain and stock, was very low. So they must be contented with the plain necessities of life. And it will be seen that their progress to fortune must be very slow.

But William spent no idle time, he began to till the ground, get stock on the place, and improve his farm and home, often working during the day for wages, and doing a great deal of work at home mornings and evenings.

On March 30, 1840. their first child was born, they are now comfortably fixed in their new home and William is preparing to build a large barn, there was a large Tamrac swamp on his land, in which stood the most beautiful trees for hewing into square timbers, or for sawing into lumber, and there he could have been found working early and late, getting out timbers and logs,

One night he had worked later than usual and on his way home, he met a black bear in the path, which did not want to turn aside for him, he had no weapons with him except a heavy four-tined fork, this he presented, tines foremost, and the bear, not liking such effrontry, turned and skulked off into the woods. William then proceeded on his way home.

The barn when completed was 40 X 60 feet. with a very heavy stone foundation, and a large under-ground stable. The barn had large mows in either end in which he placed his wheat, and threshed it with a flail. on the barn floor Often in the long winter evenings, after doing a hard days work, he would go out into the barn and pound out wheat.

He also built two large cattle sheds 12 X 50 feet each. They then purchased another piece of land containing eighty acres. This was timber land in what was called white oak openings and

was not hard to clear up. All the land there was more or less stony, so that the stone had to be gathered up and hauled off the farming land.

William is now making preparations for building a new house, and we will again find him among the Tamrac trees, chopping, hewing, or hauling logs to the saw mill to be cut into lumber for the new house. He had raved and shaved enough shingles from red oak, to shingle the house, and had laid them away to season, and when he came to use them they were so hard he had to bore a tiny hole for each nail.

He cut one tamrac tree that made one plate for the house 36 feet long, 6x6. one studing 20 feet long, 4x4. and one rafter 14 feet long 2x4 making 70 feet from one tree.

The size of the house was 24 x 36 feet. He got out all the timbers, framed the building, and completed the house, all with his own hands.

They worked a farm one year for Stansbury,

who lived at Pinkney. William used to do lots of work for him, also for Dr. Stansbury. He also worked a great deal for Mr. Kirtland, who owned and operated a flouring mill in Pinkney, doing carpenter work about the mill.

Grandfather and grandmother Moore, and grandfather and grandmother Bennett, lived not many miles apart, and the older children used to go often to see them where they lived in their log houses, on their little farms.

About the spring of 1849 they moved into their new house, and lived there that summer, and the next winter they sold the farm.

And in the spring of 1850, they packed their household goods into two heavy wagons, and with their family of five children, started for the "far west".

They traveled west to Chicago, and from there across the state of Illinois, and crossed the Mississippi river at Keokuk, into the Territory of

Iowa, and traveled as far as Iowa City, and came back and recrossed the Mississippi river atavenport and Rock Island, and traveled South East into Henry Co. Illinois. and bought a piece of Goverment land lying about 12 miles North of Wethersfield,

Here they built a small log house, and had lived in it but a few days, when it caught fire and burned down, together with most of the household goods and some money.

A few days before they moved into the house a girl — Sarah J. — was born, and the mother and child being so exposed in taking them from the burning house caused the death of the child a few days after.

They went to work and built another house and moved into it before winter set in.

Late in the Autum of 1851. they with four of the children, went, by wagon, back to the old home in Michigan, to visit their parents and

relatives, getting back to Henry Co. sometime in the following Winter.

In the Summer of 1852, they sold out again and loaded all they had into one wagon, and started in search of a more suitable location for a home.

They traveled South-west and crossed the Mississippi river at Burlington, Iowa. and went across the corner of Iowa, down into Missouri about fifty miles, then turned and traveled North west to Charidon, Iowa. Not liking the country there, they turned back East, and crossed the Mississippi river again, at Fort Madison, Iowa. and traveled up the river to McQueen's Mill, Henderson County, Illinois. Arriving there Aug. the 9th. 1852.

On the 31st of March, 1853. William, and his brother Beach, walked to Quincy Illinois, a distance of 67 miles, William making the trip in one day, and was at the Land Office the next

morning, and bought a tract of land that lay under Military Land Warrant, No. 22418. in the name of William Garner. and located in section six, in Township eight north, of range five west. Henderson County, Illinois

William had just money enough to pay for the land; and buy a cow and a barrel of flour. then he had to hustle to make a living for a large family, which made it very difficult to get the farm in cultivation, and improved.

He had to work for very low wages, the first two years he only received fifty cents a day, except in harvest time, when he was paid seventy-five cents a day, he being an excellent hand at swinging the cradle. and scythe.

William was very expert at hewing timbers, and was employed at this work two winters in the Wisconsin pine regions, bringing a raft of logs and timbers, each spring, down the Mississippi river to Shokokon, for Horatio Curts. who owned a Lumber-yard there.

He done considerable work for Fred Curta, who lived one mile north of home, and for Joe Kirby, one mile south. Also for John Cooper, who lived three miles away. He built several buildings for them.

Meantime, he, and the boys, improved the farm as fast as they could, until the Cival War broke out, when the three older boys enlisted in the service of the Union. and he was compelled to be at home more closely, until the close of the war, then some of the boys worked the farm on shares.

In 1866 he made a trip overland, by wagon, down across Missouri, and Arkansas, and out in Texas. Coming back across the Indian Territory, and Missouri.

In 1874 he bought a small farm of fifty-five acres, then owned by Oliver Lyons, giving a mortgage on both farms to secure the debt. and a few years after, he sold forty acres off the east side of the home place, to G. W. Chandler.

The house they had been living in for many years, was getting very old and shakey, and it became necessary to have a new house. so in the Summer of 1882, he built a two story house, 28 x 30 feet square. (see Illustration) which cost considerable, and together with the other debts, and expenses, left a large indebtedness on the farm, which would take many years to pay.

He was then getting old, and after so many years of hardships, and hard labor, he could not stand exposure like he used to, and while working on the farm one day, the weather became suddenly cold and stormy, and he took a severe cold which resulted in inflammation of the bladder, from which he suffered greatly. So much so that toward the last he prayed earnestly for death to come and releive him of his pain.

Doctors were employed, but none of them could do him any permanent good, and on June the 3rd 1886. he was releived of his suffering by

death. He was laid to rest on the old homestead where he had labored so many years, by his own request, on a beautiful spot selected by himself, which is now nicely fenced and well cared for, and the flowers he loved blooming profusely there. A large monument stands by his grave with his profile deeply cut in the marble on one side and a Bible, his guide through life, lying on top.

Below his profile, is inscribed, a verse of his own selection, as follows:

It is pain and suffering, I did endure,
 I tried physicians, could receive no cure.
 At last on Jesus name I call,
 He came and put an end to all;
 My earthly sufferings here below,
 I said dear Lord I am ready to go.
 He took me in his arms of love.
 To dwell with him in heaven above.



A Tribute to Father.

William Moore: was a man small in stature. and had a very strong constitution, and worked very hard all his life. He was honest and honorable, in all his dealings with his fellow-men. His schooling was very limited, but he had a good store of common sense, and reasoning faculties.

He was a fair singer, and loved to play the Harp. He used to sing a great deal when at work. The Psalms, and Watt's hymns was his favorite sacred music.

He did not beleive in monopolies, trusts, unions, lodges, or sects. Politically, he was always a republican. A naturalized citizen. Was very fond of hunting with the rifle.

He was always very solicitous for the welfare of his children, helping them all he could, and

more than he was able. Do not let us say, that father never helped us, he denied himself of many comforts to help us along, he worked very hard, much harder than any of us ever have, to provide a home for us;

'Spite of hail and driving rain,
 Storming on the window pain;
 While the wind its fury lent,
 Forth to duties call he went,
 With the vision in his mind,
 Of the home he leaves behind.

Noble is the common task,
 Higher work need no man ask!
 Whether skies were blue or gray,
 He pursued his tranquil way,
 With new hopes and cheerful tread,
 In his quest for daily bread.

Many times he would be up in the morning, and gone, before daylight, perhaps several miles away, to do a days work. And would often walk home again at night, to do some little chore to improve the home surroundings. He practised a

great deal of economy, and selfdenial, in order to lay up something for "a rainy day". He had to struggle against the "draw-backs" of a new country. And, working under unfavorable conditions, and adverse circumstances, he succeeded well.

Let us all think kindly of father,
For he was kind to us;
He sought to lead us safely
Our life's brief pathway through;
He cared for us and loved us,
He tried to save us pain,
He gave us kindly counsel—
I hope not all in vain.

Mother.

When mother was married, of course she gave up her maiden name, and girlish pleasures, and entered at once upon the duties of life. She worked hard from the first, economizing and saving in every way she could to help along in the struggle for bread. She had none of the luxuries that goes to make life pleasant, she could never think of spending money for anything that was not a necessity. She often staid up late at night knitting or mending for some member of the family, or knitting for some one else for the few pennies there was to be made by it.

We cannot realize what our mother has done for us in the past; the hard labor, the self denial, the anxious watching, the good examples and advise given us. How she tried to keep us

from going astray, and to keep us ever in the "straight and narrow way" that leads to heaven; and if any of us miss the pearly gates, it will not be from any lack of her duty.

Alas! how little did we appreciate our mothers love; How heedless were we in youth of all her anxious tenderness while living! But when she is dead and gone. how hard it is to find true sympathy, how few will befriend us in misfortune. then it is that we miss and think of the mother we have lost.

If you have a gray-haired mother
 In the old home far away,
 Sit down and write the letter
 You put off day by day.
 Don't wait until her tired steps
 Reach heaven's pearly gate—
 But show her that you think of her
 Before it is too late.

While father was suffering so much with that painful bladder trouble. mother had so much work to do, and anxious care and watching, until

father died. Then her life was very lonely; She and father had been companions for forty-eight years, and although she had the same old home and enough to live comfortably, she felt lonely without him. Her children were all married but one, with whom she lived till Sep. 12. 1892. She went, with her son, (Ulysses) to Nebraska, where she visited among her children, at different places, for three months, arriving home on her seventy-third birthday.

About Dec. 20. 1894. she went to Marseilles, Illinois, to visit her son Frank, where she stayed about two months.

Then about the first of Oct. 1897. she went back to the old home in Michigan. Arriving there on the birthday of her only living sister, Elizabeth, who was greatly surprised and pleased to see her. She had a very pleasant visit there among her relatives, and old acquaintances, arriving home on her seventy-eighth birthday.

In November 1900. she went with her son Charles, to Centerville, Iowa where she visited about two weeks. This was the last trip she made on the cars.

On the 23rd of December, 1900. everything was covered with ice, and she slipped and fell and sprained her ankle, from which she suffered much.

In April 1901. seven of her children made her a visit at one time. Those present were: Mary, Edward, Lizzie, Frank, Elcia, Charlie and Ulysses. Then again on Thanksgiving day, same year, was prepared for her, a dinner, at which there were several of her children and fifteen grandchildren and several great-grand-children.

About the first of January she was taken with nervous chills, which weakened her so, that she failed very fast. Her eyesight failed too, til toward the last she could not see any of us to tell who we were. Then her lungs filled up so she

could not speak. It was very sad when she tried to talk to us and we could not tell what she said. The last words she said plainly were "Raise my head up a little" and "Can't you raise my head up a little" and when we did so, "There that's better". And she quietly passed away to a Better Home, between eight and nine o'clock in the morning of February the 2nd. 1902.

When time is lost in endless day,

Dear mother!

When loved one's meet and part no more—

In purest light on boundless shore,

God will thy love and life repay—

Dear mother!



Wm H Moore.

William Henry Moore, the oldest of a family of twelve children, was born in Putman Township, Livingston County, Michigan. March 30. 1840. The first seven years of his life was spent in a log house where his parents lived, about one mile north of Pinkney, where he went to school a part of one winter.

He was with his parents in all their travels until they settled in Henderson County, Illinois, in 1852.

During the summer of 1853, he worked for the Smith Brothers, for \$7.00 a month, and that winter attended the MoQueens Mill school where Geo W. Conley was then teaching. The coming summer he helped his Uncle Beet Moore run a breaking team of three yoke of Oxen, and the next winter attended the Brooks school, taught

by Sarah Davis. now Mrs J. Evans.

In the spring of 1855 he hired to Joe Carman for \$15.00 per month where he worked for three years, attending school about two months each winter at the old Shokokon school.

In the year 1858 he worked the Carman farm on shares, and the next year he came home and worked his fathers farm on shares until August 1862 when he enlisted for services in the Civil War. his experience there will be given in his own words, in another part of this book.

When he returned home from the war he took up his old vocation of farming, and November 2nd. 1865. he married Miss Amelia M. Hargrove, who was born in Henderson Co. Ill. Jan. 26 1844

Her father, John M, Hargrove, was a Kentuckian, he was born Feb. 26. 1795. and died Nov. 25, 1844. Her mother was born July 15. 1804. in the old town of Kasskasca, Ill.

She was married four times, first to James Sutton, second to Col. Rezen Redman, third to

John M. Hargrove, and last to Harvey Freeland her maiden name was Nancy P. Ebberman, she died Dec. 15. 1861.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore spent the first two years of their married life on his fathers farm, where their daughter Ella was born.

In the fall of 1867 they moved to Blackhawk Co. Iowa. and bought a quarter-section of land, and lived there until the fall of 1872. when they sold their farm and returned to Illinois where they rented a place and farmed three years on shares.

In the spring of 1876 they bought property in Carman and was engaged in the business of buying and shipping grain, until the Autumn of 1879 they emigrated by wagon to Furnace Co. Nebr. where they homesteaded a quarter-section of land and began improving it for a home.

They struggled along against the privations of a new country until the Spring of 1886 they sold their homestead and bought an eighty acre farm

on the creek bottom, and lived there two years, and disposed of it and moved into the town of Wilsonville, where he worked in a repair shop for two years. In the summer of 1900 they bought town lots in Wilsonville and built a dwelling house thereon which afterwards they sold and moved to Orleans, Harlan Co. Neb. where they now live.

Their children have all gone out in world to to make homes of their own. Their oldest child, Ella, was born August 11. 1866. She was noted for her singing from a child up, and was a very apt scholar. and began teaching school when only sixteen years old, and taught successfully five terms.

She was married August 26. 1886. to T. W. Timmins, who was born in Pottawatomie County Kansas. March 3rd 1863. he had two sisters, Jennie, and Emma, both older than himself, Jennie died when two years old. Emma. (Mrs. Eugene Hall,) died at Argyle, Wis. in 1883.

His father was a soldier in the Civil War and

died at St Louis, Mo. on his way home on a Furlow in 1864. Mr. Timmins lived in Neb. Wis. S D. and Iowa, from 1879 until 1885. He has two brothers and two sisters by his mothers second marriage Lottie Pettis. (now Mrs. Geo Lewis, of Arapahoe, Neb.) Jessie Pettis. (now Mrs. Will Knapp, Blackwell, Okla.) and Irvin, and Winfield Pettis. both of Beaver City, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Timmins now live at Orleans, Neb. where he is permanently located in the Harness and Saddlery business They have four children, Harry, born Nov. 20. 1887. Homer. born Sep. 13 1892. Vaughn, born Aug 12. 1894 Beulah. born April 29 1899.

William Elsworth Moore, was born Feb. 1st 1868. in Blackhawk Co. Iowa. he was strong and healthy and a great worker, he began farming for his father when he was fourteen years old.

When about nineteen, he went in the harness shop and learned the trade under Mr. Wm. Timmins. Then he was with a Surveying party

in the mountains of Colorado for two months. Then he came back and bought out the Dray line which he run very successfully for several years. Then he was engaged in the Hardware and Implement business for a number of years, and in the Autumn of 1901 he sold out and went to Omaha and engaged as a city salesman for a large furniture Co. He is now a traveling salesman.

On April, 24. 1894. he married Miss Ethel Minta Gibson, of Beaver City, Neb. She was born March 22 1875. she had two sisters and one brother. Grace, Winnie, and Raymond. Her parents are both living at Wilsonville, Neb. Ethel was a successful school teacher and a fine musician. They have one child, Arthur Raymond, born August 20. 1901.

Joel Moore, the youngest of the family, was born at Carman, Illinois. May, 27. 1879. He improved his opportunities at school and learned very rapidly, and graduated at an early age. He was

very fond of music and made a success of playing the mandolin. He was a clerk in a large department store at Oberlin, Kan. for a time. Then he learned the art of sign painting and window trimming, at which he is very successful. being constantly employed at the business at very good wages. On the 4th of May, 1903, he married Miss Emma M. Corzelous, of Kansas City, Mo. where they now live.



Harriett E Van Hoosen.

Harriett Elizabeth Moore, was born January 1st 1844. in Livingston Co. Michigan. She was moved about with her parents until they settled in Henderson Co. Illinois. where she spent her girlhood days going to school and helping her mother do the house-work for a large family of children.

Soon after the war she became acquainted with Jerome B. VanHoosen, who was born June 15th 1838. at Sparta, Osage Co. N. Y. He came with his parents to Hancock Co. Ill. in 1845. At the age of 19 he went to California where he resided ten years, then enlisted as a Volunteer in Captain William C. Manning's Company L. 2nd Mass. Cavalry. was enrolled Feb. 10 1863. at San Francisco, Cal.

He enlisted as a blacksmith under Gen Sheridan

fighting Mosby's Guerrillas. Out of 500 men sent out, only 182 returned. He was home once on a sick furlough and visited his parents in Ill.

He also took part in Campaigns of Gettysburg, Early's Defeat, Capture of Richmond, and Surrender of Lee. He was hurt at Vianna, Va. by a horse falling on him while shoeing.

Jerome B. VanHoson, and Harriett E. Moore was married June 2, 1868. at Terre Haute, Ill. where they lived until Sep. 1872. when they moved by wagon, to Nebraska. and settled on a homestead in Polk Co. and lived in their little sod house eighteen months. Then came the terrible Grasshopper raid, and they were forced to return to Ill.

Then in 1876 they went again to Merrick Co. Neb. and lived on a rented farm until the fall of 1882 they bought a farm of 160 acres about two miles west of Central City, for which they paid \$1200. and the same year they built a barn costing \$400 and a large frame house of seven

rooms, costing \$1800. making a beautiful home within a few rods of the U. P. Railroad with the public school house located on one corner of their farm. In the Spring of 1884 their barn burned with all that was in it. Being fully insured they received \$393. for barn and contents, and the same year built another, costing \$600.

In the year of 1888 they sold their home for \$4500. and visited their parents in Illinois, and returning to Neb. they lived in Central City for a short time then moved by rail with their seven children, to Corvallis, Benton Co. Oregon. where they bought a nice place in the suburbs of the city. On Aug. 18. 1899 Jerome, whose health had been failing for some time, died at the age of sixty three years, from the effects of a wound received while in the war.

In 1879 he applied for a pension and received \$6 a month until 1887 it was increased to \$30. which afterwards was raised to \$72. per month, which amount he received until his death. he left

a wife and six children to mourn the loss of a loving husband and kind father. to them were born eight children as follows.

SHERIDAN - was born three miles east of Carman, Ill. Nov. 12 1869. he went through public school and attended college two terms. then went with his father to Ore. and in May 1892 took a homestead in Sweet Home Valley, Ore. and stocked it with young cattle. But in August of same year he was pitching sheaves of wheat to a machine and ruptured an arter which caused his death on Aug. 31. his body was laid to rest in Crystal Lake Cemetry. Benton Co Ore.

CORA ALICE, - was born in Ill. Dec. 25 1870, she died Dec. 17 1872. and was burried in Saunders Co. Neb.

ELCIA BELLI, - was born June 10 1872. at Nauvoo, Ill. She attended school at Central City Neb. until they moved to Oregon. where she was married to Miles J. Young Dec. 21 1892. They have one child, Velva Leverne. born Dec16 1894.

They live at present at Oregon City, Ore.

FRANKLIN JEROME, - was born at Wayland, Polk Co. Neb. July 29 1874. he attended school mostly at Corvallis, Ore. In Nov. 1899 he homesteaded 40 acres of land in Big Elk Valley, which he is improving and stocking with sheep. He is a stone cutter by trade.

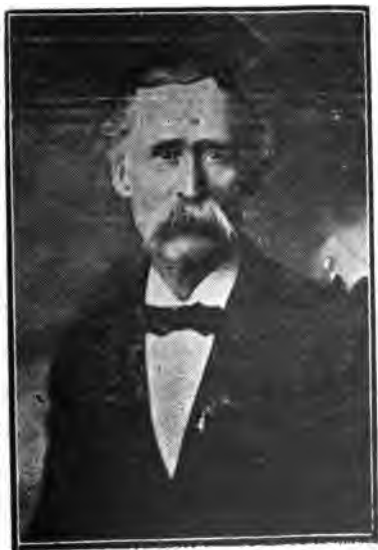
IDA LAVOILET, - was born Aug. 30 1879 at Disco, Ill. she was 12 years old when they went to Ore. she received most of her schooling at Corvallis, where she grew to womanhood.

BERT LOUIS - was born Aug. 5 1879 at Central City, Neb. was educated at Corvallis, he was a dutiful son and grew to be an honest industrious man, and is at present running an engine in the Ice Factory at Corvallis.

RUBY ANNA - was born at Central City, Neb, Sep. 12 1881 she was a bright girl, with a mild affectionate disposition. She was going to school at Corvallis and was in the graduating class when she contracted that dreadful disease, consumption,

with which she suffered about eight months when death releived her of her suffering. She was a member of the Babtist church, and the Babtist Young Peoples Society, in which she took a very active part, and was greatly missed by all who knew her.

HARRIETT ELIZABETH - was born at Central City, Neb. Sep. 6 1884. She is going to school and will soon be ready for College. She is living at home with her mother who still lives at Corvallis, Benton Co. Oregon.



Edward Albert Moore, was born Dec. 12. 1842. in Livingston county Michigan. He went to school a short time near Plnkney, was with his parents in all their travels until they settled in Henderson county Illinois, where he finished

a comon school education, working for his father until he was ninteen years old, when he enlisted as a volenteer soldier in the Civil War. His four years of soldier life will be given further along.

After his discharge from the services of the United States Army, he came home, a .d after a three weeks stay he went to Chicago and went on the Police force there and walked a beat on Michigan and Wabash avenue as special police, for over two years In Feb. 1868 he came home and worked by the month on a farm until Sep. 7th 1870 when he married Miss Orrilla Frazell, at Olena Ill. She was born Aug. 22. 1853. near Oquawka Illinois.

Her father, LEONARD HARRISON FRAZELL was born in the state of New York. Sep 5. 1808. he was married twice and had one child by his first wife Celia Alzina, born Jan. 12 1844. her mother died when she was quite young. Orrilla's mothers maiden name was Margret Arnett. She was

married first to William Zinn, they had one child, a daughter, Mary, soon after her birth William Zinn died, (Mary died Sep. 15 1867) and in April 1847. Leonard H. Frazell and Mrs Margret Zinn were married at Johnston Ohio. They came to Illinois in 1850 and settled near Opanka. Their first two children died in infancy.

William Arnett Frazell was born in 1851 and married Miss Mary E. Baulch Oct. 6 1874, they have eight children.

Margret Frazell born in 1852. died in infancy.

James Murray Frazell was born Nov. 27 1857, he married Ida B. Reinbarger, Mar. 23 1886 she was born in 1870 at Iowa City, Iowa. they have two children. Edith V. born July 17 1887. at Harvard Iowa. Maud L. born April 11. 1839 at Trenton Mo.

Viola Frazell was born Feb. 20 1863. she was married first to John C. Moore, in Sep. 1878

three girls were born to this union. In 1884 she was divorced and married May 13 1889 at Trenton Mo. to David F. Sexton, who was born Oct 7 1861. at McKeysport Pa.

Leonard H. Frazell died Sep. 20 1884.

Margret Frazell died Mar. 14 1885. both were buried in the Seymour Iowa Cemetery.

Edward A. and Orrilla Moore began life together on his fathers farm where they lived until 1872 they went to Seymour Iowa and lived there two years, and then came back to Illinois and lived at different places until Sep. 1878 they moved by wagon to Central City, Nebraska where they farmed two seasons, but owing to crop failures, and other misfortunes, they were compelled to return to Illinois, starting in Dec. 1879.

In the Spring of 1880, they built a log house on his fathers farm, where they lived about five years. On Sep 11 1884 while re shingling an old barn for a neighbor, he fell off the roof and lit

astride a fence post which crippled him for life and for over a year he was unable to work.

In 1886 they moved to Iowa and worked in the coal mines, there, and at Trenton Mo. until 1889 when they returned to Illinois and bought a piece of land in Laharpe, and built a house thereon, where they lived until 1895 when they sold their property there and bought a farm of twenty-five acres, in McDonough County Ills. for \$1125.00 where he built a good comfortable house and other buildings. making a nice little home, on R F D 4 from Laharpe, Ill. where he now lives. To them were born nine children as follows.

born

Florance Eno'a. Nov. 3. 1871. at Olena, Ill.

Mary Elizabeth. Oct. 25. 1873 at Numa, Iowa.

Lettie Orrilla, Mar. 18. 1875. at Olena, Ill.

Murray Franklin, June, 6. 1877. at Olena, Ill.

Zelda Vivinnie, July. 2 1879. at Central Cy. Neb

Ada Viola, Mar. 27 1882, In log house on his fathers farm.

Laural Alzina July 14 1884 In the log house on his fathers farm.

Edna Violet, Nov. 1886. at Harvard, Iowa.

Lena Lorretta. June 12, 1890. at Laharpe, Ill.
Ada Viola, died June 6 1886. and was burried in the Seymour Iowa, Cemetry.

Florence Enola, was married, Feb. 18 1891. to Warren Frances, at Laharpe Ill. Their children were born as follows. Murray Albert, Mar. 29. 1892. Joseph Lewis, Apr 17 1894. Warren Clayton, Jan. 27 1896. Lorenzo Weslie, Jan. 22 1898 Oliver Lee ,Oct 21 1899 Lena Miranda, Nov. 14 1902. Lorenzo Weslie died Dec. 10 1898.

Mary Elizabeth and Lettie Orrilla were married Jan. 21 1894 to Joseph Pierce, and James Cain, respectively. Mr and Mrs Pierce have no children. Mr and Mrs Cain have one child a girl, born Nov. 20 1896.

Zelda Vivinnie was married Jan. 23 1898. to Jesse Carnes, of Laharpe Ill.



Mary A. Moore, was born in Livingston County, Michigan, on Monday, Jan. 12 1846. she was seven years old when her parents settled in Henderson Co. Ill. where she grew to womanhood, when she became acquainted with Henry Vanhoosen, whose great grand-father came from Holland with a colony, and settled in New Ams-

terdam, (New York) in 1750. Henry's grandfather, John Vanhoosen, was born in 1752. served in the Revolutionary War as teamster. he married Margret Van Horn, and settled in Duches Co. N. Y. three miles from the city of Hudson. they had five sons, Justus, James, Leonard, Luman, and William. Justus, James, and Luman, died with consumption, in Osege Co. N. Y.

Margret Van Horn's father came from Holland and leased a large tract of land on Long Island for ninety-nine years.

William Vanhoosen, (Henry's father) was born Aug. 10 1805. at Columbia N. Y. he married Selinda Woodard, of Springfield N. Y. in 1829. and settled in Livingston Co. N. Y. where he lived until 1845, when he moved with his family to Hancock Co. Ill. where he lived until 1871. he then moved to Polk Co. Neb. and homesteaded a piece of land. His wife went to Marysville Cal. in 1875. to visit a daughter. While there she was taken suddenly ill, caused by an injury while

enroute to Cal. and died in a few days. Mr. Van
hoosen went to Central City Neb. in 1890. to live
with his son Henry, where he made his home
until he died April 5 1893.

They had ten children as follows, Leonard,
Jerome, Henry, Margret, William, Samantha
Loomis, John, and Hial.

Leonard was born in Oseage Co. N. Y. in 1831
and was killed in a runaway, in Hancock Co. Ill.
at fifteen years of age.

Jerome. (see page 57)

Henry, was born in Livingston Co. N. Y. Aug.
15 1835. he emigrated with his parents to Han-
cock Co. Ill. when ten years old where he grew to
manhood.

Margret was born in N. Y. in 1837. came to
Illinois with her parents. and was married to
David Tortna in 1857. they lived in Missouri,
three years then emigrated to California by water
making the trip, by Cape Horn, in two months,
to Grand Island, Colusa Co. where she still lives

with her children, three sons and five daughters. David Tortna died in 1895.

William was born in Livingston Co. N. Y. in 1839. he went with his parents to Hancock Co. Ill. and in 1861 he enlisted to serve in the Cival War as a Caveleryman, 1st Iowa. Co I. he served three years and six months. In 1865 he married Elizabeth McCane, they moved to Mo. in 1867, and from there to Polk co. Neb. in 1872. and to Furnace co. Neb. in 1880. he returned to Polk co. in 1900 where they now reside. his first wife died in 1878, he married again in 1880. he has nine children.

Samantha was born in 1841, and was married to Mason McQuary at Carthage Ill. She died in 1866 with consump ion. they had two children, Edgar and Beale.

Loomis was born in 1843 In 1862 he enlisted as a soldier in the 7th Iowa Inft. Vol. co. D, he served un il the close of the war, he was wounded in both thighs at the battle of Belmont Mo,

was taken prisoner and held five days, then exchanged, taken to the Union Hospital at Birds Point. After being there three months, he came home, staying about six months, when he returned to his regiment and remained with them until the close of the war. he married Emily Emery in Illinois, they moved to Polk co. Neb. in 1872 where he now lives on a farm near Osceola, they have nine children living.

John was born in Hancock co Ill. Nov. 1846. where he lived until 1872. when he went to Polk Co. Neb. and took up a homestead near Osceola, of which he has made a most beautiful farm home built up by his own hard labor. he is a very hard working man. he has a beautiful brick house and a fine orchard on his farm. he married Miss Hattie Stone of Ashland Neb (formerly of old Niota Ill) in May 1873 they have no children.

Justus was born in Illinois in 1849. In 1868 he went to Minnesota, where he married Ada Tracy and after a time, moved to Polk Co Neb, then to

Furnace Co Neb. where he died in 1895. his wife and ten children still live there.

Hial was born in Hancock Co. Ill. in April, 1852. he went to Polk Co. Neb. in 1872. he was married in 1875. unto them were born six children, four boys and two girls. they still live in Polk Co. Neb. near Gresham.

Mary A. Moore, and Henry Vanhoosen, was married July 2nd 1862. at Hamilton Mo. They lived in Illinois, and a short time in Missouri, until 1871, when they moved to Saunders Co. Neb and lived there, on a homestead, for several years and then moved to Merrick Co. Neb. where they bought a quarter-section of land from the U. P. Railroad Company, three miles west of Central City, which they have improved and made a good farm, and a beautiful home, where they now live. To them were born ten children.

Rosella May, was born in Hancock Co. Ill. March, 21 1863. She was given a good education and she taught school for a time in Dawes Co.

Neb. where she became acquainted with, and was married to C. H. Flandt, Dec. 30 1883, he died a few years later. She attended the Stromsburg Business College during the term of 1901-2. after which she went back to Dawes Co. and taught school again, and finally was married to her present husband, Robert E. Phelps, who was born Mar. 19 1863. at Roanoke Mo.

William H. was born in Illinois, Jan. 9 1865. he worked on his fathers farm until he was 21 years old when he went to Shirlif College, at Upper Alton Ill. to study for the Baptist Ministry, where he met Miss Bertha Monroe. Their acquaintance grew into friendship and love, and they were married July 12 1892. Their son, Niles I. was born Sep. 20 1886.

Elsworth A. was born in Schyler Co. Mo. Jan. 15 1867. and died April 18 1873.

George W. was born Mar. 16 1870 in Henderson Co. Ill. and died June 21 1880.

John A. was born May 9 1872 in Saunders Co.

Neb. he grew to manhood on the farm, and he married Miss Rose Linden April 16 1897 at New Castle Wyo. they have one child.

Charles F. was born in Saunders Co. Neb. on Mar. 16 1875. he married Miss Elsie Young, at Central City Neb. Oct. 9 1898.

Louis was born Oct. 19 1877 in Saunders Co. Neb. when two years old he was playing with an ear of corn and got a grain in his windpipe and choked to death, he died June 1 1870.

J. Edward was born Aug. 27 1879. in Saunders Co. Neb. he is farming his fathers place.

Lillian M. was born Mar. 20 1881. at Ithaca Saunders Co. Neb.

Margaret L. was born Jan. 18 1887. in Merrick County Nebraska.



Samuell F. Moore, was born near Howell Livingston Co. Michigan. on the 24th of August 1848 he went to school in Henderson Co. Ill. until he was thirteen years old, when the Cival war broke out and he saw his two older brothers enlist for services in the army; it fired a desire in him also to take part in the great Conflict.

his experience there is given in another chapter.

After his discharge from the army, which was in Chicago Ill, he began working in a planeing mill, operated by Beach and Williams, where he worked about three months. then he got position as brakeman on the Illinois Central Railroad, Southern Division, from Centralia to Cario. He worked for them two months, then began firing an engine in the switch yard of the Michigan Central Railroad.

In June 1866 he went to La Salle Co. Ill. to work in the harvest fields there. after which he went to St. Joseph Mo. then back home to Henderson Co. Ill. and went to school one term. then farmed one season, then worked by the month until the Winter of 1870, for J. O. Anderson where he became acquainted with Jennie Porter, whose father, Lot Porter, was born in Chilothie, Ohio. her mothers maiden name was Davis. who died when Jennie was about two years old. her father about Nov. 1860. he was twice married,

the first wifes name was Davis, and by her he had three children, Gideon, who died in infancy. Virginia Jennie, born Nov. 25 1850. and John W. born Mar. 28 1852. he has a family of five children, his wife is now dead.

Lot Porter's second wifes name was Caress, she had been married before, her maiden name was Bice, whose parents lived near Oquawka Ill. by this second union were also born three children William, who died in infancy. Marrie, who is twice married and lives at York Neb.

Jennie's parents moved from Ohio to Olena Ill where they both died and was burried in the Watson Cemetry.

Jennie lived with John Evans until she was eighteen years old, then she worked at J. O. Andersons until she and S. F. Moore were married Dec. 1 1870. at Olena Ill. They worked one year for James Cross, and one year for John Evans and in the Autumn of 1872 they went to Seymour Iowa. and in May 1873 they moved by wagon

to Prairie Co. Ark. where they met with many disappointments and misfortunes, at one time on the road down, at Peachville Mo. they lost nearly everything by fire in the wagon, he also received a badly burned hand from a can of oil catching fire just as he picked it up to throw it out.

They arrived there in July and remained until Oct. 1874 when they moved back to Illinois where they worked by the month, and farmed, until Aug. 1879. they moved by wagon to Furnace Co Neb. and on account of the crop failures there, they came back as far as Hastings, Mills Co. Iowa, where he worked by the month for three years, then farmed a rented place for three years and then bought property in Hastings, where they now live. Their ten children are as follows.

Mary Ellen, was born Sep. 11 1871 in Illinois she was married to Ben A. Tyler, of Council Bluffs Iowa. July 21 1890. They have three children, Lena, Hazle, and Willie.

Laura Rose, was born in Arkansas, Dec 1873.

she was married to Derwood W. Gladwin, Apr. 16 1893. she died Jan. 22 1899 at La Conner, Wash. they had two children, Elvira and Laura.

John H. was born Oct. 26 1876 in Henderson Co. Ill. he died Apr. 10 1890, at Hastings Iowa.

Harriett A. was born Jan. 28 1879 in Illinois. she was married to James A. Witcher, Oct. 28 1895. their two children are Imo, and Emil.

Francis L. was born Feb. 23 1831. she was married to Fred L. Lowery, of Council Bluffs Iowa Oct, 22 1900.

Nora A. was born July 22 1884. She died Aug. 4 1889 at Hastings Iowa.

Jessie S. was born Sep. 27 1888. at Hastings.

Daisy Ila, was born Dec. 20 1891.

Samie, was born April 18 1894.

Robin E. was born Mar. 24 1896.



Sarah E Moore.

Sarah J. Moore Was born in Henry County, Ill. Sep. 9 1850. and died 15 days later.

Sarah E. Moore Was born March 21 1853. in Henry County, Ill. and when a little child, with her parents, removed to Henderson

County Illinois where she began going to school when six years old, Eliza Gittings being her first teacher. She continued going to school until she was nineteen years old, Appleton Park was her last teacher.

Her school days being over, she began working by the week for A. C. Ents near Ellison Illinois where she remained for three years. Then she worked at the T. F. Pence place for two years during which time she became acquainted with

George Howell who was working at the same place. he was born in England Oct. 5 1853. where he grew to manhood and started for America Oct. 23 1875. he was an honest industrious man and was liked by all who employed him.

George Howell and S. Elizabeth Moore was married May 2 1878. at Oquawka Ill. They began farming for themselves at once on a rented farm, owned by A. J. Davis, where they lived a few years, and then moved to a place three miles north-west of Olena Ill. where he died of con-

sumption Nov. 27 1876. he was a member of the church, and after suffering for a long time he said he was ready to die and went fully trusting in the Savior.

To them were born four children - William E. Oscar C. Hattie. and Mary M.

William E. was born Feb. 26 1879. he has grown to sturdy manhood, alway giving good honest service to all who employ him.

Oscar C. was born March 5 1881. he received a comon school education and has grown up to honest, industrious manhood. In Nov. 1900 he went to New Castle, Wyo. where he became acquainted with Miss Myrtle Gilson. and on the 4th of Aug. 1902 they were married at Plattsmouth Neb. they have one child, George Gurnie, born June 19 1903.

Hattie, was born Nov. 13 1882. she was birght and quick to learn but her schooling oppertunities was very limited. she stayed with her mother until she was eighteen years old when she was

married to Wm. Houck, of La Crosse Ill. they live at Augusta, Iowa.

Mary M. was born Nov. 27 1885. being just one year old when her father died. She grew to lovely girlhood, although her education was limited she acquired a number of qualifications necessary to a useful and happy life. She was married March 15 1903. to Edgar G. Kniss of Monmouth Ill. where they now live.



George Franklin Moore Was born Dec. 30 1854, in the old log house, which was built in the Spring of 1853, being the first house built on the old homestead in Henderson County Ill. and answered for a home for a family con-

sisting of father, mother and eight children, for several years.

He began going to school when he was six years old, having to walk two miles. When sixteen years old he went to Waterloo, Iowa. where he worked in the harvest field for \$2.50 a day. Then he bought a team of horses and rented land of Charles Vaughn where he farmed three years.

In the Spring of 1876, he went to Buffalo Co. Neb. and entered a timber claim of 160 acres. he then came back to Ill. and raised a crop that summer, during which time he won the hand of Miss Effie Wiley, who was living with her aunt, Mrs. O. Baldwin. Mr. Baldwin owned and operated the Honey Creek grist mill, a two bhur water power mill, which at one time done a good business, but because of the popularity of the roller process, it went into disuse, and is now dismantled and gone.

Miss Wiley was left an orphan when six years old she was born Aug. 13 1858. on her

fathers homestead, three miles south of Dallas City, Ill. her father, Oliver Wiley, came from New York 1842. he died in 1866. her mother died in 1862. She has two brothers and three sisters; Allzina - Mrs. C. E. Clifford, of Marseilles, Ill. - who died in Jan. 1902. Allmina, - Mrs. Wm Silliman, of Clarksville, Mo. Jennie, who after her sisters death, became the second Mrs. Clifford, Eadward Wiley, of Thorp, Wis. and Louis Wiley of Dallas, Texas.

Geo. F. Moore and Effie Wiley was married Aug 23 1876, at Lomax, Ill. Rev. B. King officiating. They went at once to visit relatives at Clarksville Mo.

In a short time after, they started for Nebraska overland, with a wagon, to make a home on their timber claim, but owing to the hard times in Neb. they let the claim go and came back to Merrick County Neb. and lived on a rented farm three years. They returned to Ill. in Dec 1880. and he was employed at carpenter work.

In the Spring of 1887 they moved to La Harpe, Ill. and bought a place and studied Architecture,

In March 1892. he sold his property there, and moved to Marseilles, Ill. where he engaged in contracting and building. he bought town lots and built a comfortable seven room house where they now live.

He also built a large shop, fitted up with a number of wood-working machines, run with gasoline power. He is a first class architect and builder. They have three children as follows,

Arthur F. born Oct. 5 1878. near Central City, Neb. when a small boy going to school, he met with an accident by which he lost the use of one arm, from which he never fully recovered.

May Edith, born Dec, 18 1882. she was given a good education and she learned the dress-making trade, at which she worked for a time, She was married to Harry W. Campbell, Oct 31 1901. their first child, Geo. H. born Dec. 7 1902.

Willis W. was born in La Harpe Ill. Jan. 1 1888. he is going to school at Marseilles, Ill.



Elcia P. Moore Was born March 5, 1857. In Henderson County, Illinois. on the old homestead, where she grew up and spent her childhood days. She went to school regularly and learned fast and obtained a good comon school

education She attended Sunday school at the Honey Creek school house. she always worked hard at home where she acquired the knoweledge of good housekeeping and homekeeping.

Among her many admirers was her nearest neighbors son, George Kemp, who was born May 8 1858. he has four brothers and four sisters living. Jesse. born Jan. 18 1860. married Miss. Julia Dowell. they live at Mullen, Neb. John E. born Jan. 6 1862. he married Miss Cassie McGee they live in Galesburg, Ill. Minnie, born Feb 8, 1864. was married to A. Peasley. of Terre Haute Ill. Charles F. born April 18 1866 died Dec. 31 1866. Martha E. born Dec. 20 1867. was married to Ben Dowell. Warren S. born Jan. 20 1871. he married Miss Louie Walker, who died in April 1908. Addie, born May 15 1873. died July 1 1874. Mary E. born July 1 1875. was marrid to Joe Lynch, they live in Galesburg, Ill. Lillis M. born Dec. 2 1877. was married to Charles Royse also

of Galesburg Ill. F. Alda, born June 22 1880 and died Dec. 21 1899. Ben L. born Feb. 21 1883 he married Mary Dowell of Carman, Ill.

Warren Kemp was born Jan. 8 1837. near (Sagetown) Gladstone, Ill. Mary E. (Shanks) Kemp was born in Union Co. Ky. Sep. 25 1840 they were married July 16 1857, They settled on the place where they now live in 1864.

Elcia P. Moore and George Kemp was married Feb. 25 1878. they lived on rented farms for several years. then they bought property in Decorra Ill. where they now live. They are the parents of ten children, born as follows.

John Marion, July 11 1879. Cora Grace, Aug. 17 1881. Esther Bell, Sep. 5 1883. Hattie Edith, Sep. 14 1885. Sadie Permelia, Sep. 28 1887. George Warren, July 17 1889. Mary Ruth, Jan. 10 1892. Rachel Elizabeth, Jan. 6 1894. Minnie Bertha, Jan. 9 1893. Dale Vergile, Apr. 5 1898.



John Charles Moore. Was born Feb 4 1859 in the log house on the old homestead in Henderson Co. Ill. he was a strong healthy boy and began going to school when quite young and attended until he grew to manhood, obtaining a

good comon school education.

In Sep. 1878. he started on a trip to Eldorado Kan. trveling by wagon, accompanied by Murray and Viola Frazell and their mother. When ariving at Putman, Mo. he and Viola was married Sep. 15 1878. they traveled on to Eldorado, and stayed there until Feb. 1879. when they went up to Central City, Neb.

In the Spring of 1881 they came back to Valisca. Iowa. where he worked in a grain elevator until the Fall of 1882. they came home and stayed two years, then they moved out to Seymour Iowa and he worked in the coal mines there until the Fall of 1886, they came home again and he worked at the building of the Santa Fe railroad.

During the Winter of 1889 he obtained a divorce from Viola, his first wife, by whom there were born three children as follows.

Lilly A. born Mar. 3 1879. at Central City Neb. was married to Abram S. Compton, Nov. 19 1894. at Centerville Iowa.

Jessie A. born Dec. 3 1880. at Chapman, Neb. was married to George Anderson, March 30 1895.

Myrtle E. born July 10 1885. at Harvard Iowa. she died in Feb. 1907.

On April 14 1889 J. C. Moore married Cassie A. Lynch, whose parents, Joseph P. Lynch was born in 1810. in Penn. and died Aug. 15 1887. Mary F. (Messer) Lynch, born in 1824. and died June 14 1907. they had nine children as follows.

Frank, William, Jane, who died Nov. 14 1911. Dave, who died Nov. 10 1893. Cassie, Mary, Martha, Joe, and Mac.

On April 20 1889, J. C. Moore attended the sale of the old home, and bought the part known as the Lyons place, on which he has set some fine orchards, and a number of other improvements, and have made a comfortable home.

Their one child, Roy B. was born March 23 1890. he is still at home.



Ebba J. Moore, Born Dec. 15 1862.
Died Feb. 9 1863.



In speaking of myself, there is nothing noteworthy to say. Born Jan. 30 1865. I was named for two great men, Ulysses Sherman, two heroes of the day, which proves there is nothing in a name. I was too stupid to obtain much of an education. I never studied grammar in any form,

which accounts for so many grammatical errors. I was born, grew up and have always lived on the old home.

Three years after my fathers death, the old home was placed in court at Oquawka Ill. to be sold at partition sale on April 20 1889. where I, being the highest bidder, bought the old homestead consisting of 117 acres, for \$2650.

Having no money to pay down, I bought heirs shares to the amount of \$604. and borrowed \$313. from my mother, then gave a mortgage on the land for the balance of \$1734. at 8% intrest, payable to Mathew Vaughn.

Owing to fathers long illness, the old place was so badly run down it took several years, with my limited means, to rebuild fences and make other necessary improvements. I brought into cultivation about twenty acres of heavy timber land which required lots of hard labor, but paid for it with the years of good crops.

At the age of twenty-seven years, I married Annettie S. Reed. age twenty-two, Sep. 15 1892 at the home of the brides parents, on Prairie Island, Merrick Co. Neb. Rev. C. Hamilton, officiating. We went on a visit to Nettie's relatives at Crawford Neb. Returning, we started for Ill. arriving home Oct. 1.

Then came the long hard struggle of paying for and improving the old home. During the fifteen years we paid \$1496 in interest on the mortgage alone. We practically payed for the old place by growing corn for market, the banner crop being in 1902, which averaged 50 bushels per acre on 63 acres, for which we received 35 cents a bushel the highest price received during the time.

The lowest price being in 1897 of 16½ cents during that year we sold 2272 bushels at average of 18½ cents. The average price for the 15 years was 31 cents the year 1901 was our lightest crop making 300 bushels on 55 acres. The average price received for hogs was 4½ cents per lb.

Annettie S. Reed was born July 16 1870. in Ottawa Co. Mich. her father, Harlow Reed. born May 2 1823. at Hartford Conn. his mother died when he was young. his father married again.

Harlow Reed married Fidelia Griffin Apr 18 1847. she was born Oct. 8 1829. at Hartford Conn. They lived in Conn. Ohio. and Mich. until 1872 when they started to Neb.

Taking boat at South Haven intending to land at Chicago but the awful storm that swept the great lake that night drove them out of their course until they were near Milwaukee Wis the next morning. a number of boats were sunk and many lives lost in that storm. but their boat landed in Chicago the next day, safe.

They traveled on from there by rail, to Central City Neb. and settled on Prairie Island in Oct. 1872. Fidelia S. Reed died Feb. 24 1879. and Aug 5 1882. Harlow Reed married Marrilla Griffith with whom he afterwards parted. and went to live with his son Maurice, where he died Mar 24 1908.

To Harlow Reed's first marriage, there were born ten children, as follows.

William H. Reed, June 9 1848. he married Miss Florence Boree Sep. 7 1870. their son Oscar P. was born Sep. 7 1871. at Dorr Allegan Co. Mich they went to Neb and lived there until the death of his wife June 24 1874. when he went to Wyo. and engaged in the vocation of collecting geological specimens, and has made some valuable collections. many of which may be seen at some of the great museums, and at the University of Wyo. where he is now employed as Curator.

He was married the second time to Miss Anna Clark, of Ohio. Sep. 11 1880. they have two children born as follows, Anna Dorothy, Aug. 27 1881. at Carbon, Wyo. William H. April 27 1883. at Como Wyo. Oscar went to Wyo, when his father married again, he is now engaged in the cattle business and owns a valuable ranch in Carbon Co.

Ella A. Reed, born Aug 22 1850. and John Clark, born Feb. 7 1839. both of Jamestown Mich.

was married Aug. 20 1868. at Kalamazoo, Mich. They have five children born as follows,

Oscar M. Dec. 4 1869. Carrie E. Sep. 20 1872. Martin L. June 21 1875. Harlow V. Dec, 15 1876, Laura M. Feb, 7 1881, they are all married and have children. Carrie E, who was Mrs Stander, died near Plattsmouth Neb. she had a large family. Mr and Mrs Clark now live at Fleak, N, D.

Henry R, Reed born Sep, 12 1852, he married Hannah Bovee about 1873 at the old home in Neb to them were born 12 children. they settled in northwestern Neb, he died March 24 1901.

Laura E, Reed, born Dec, 25 1854, married to Wm E. Phelps at Central City Neb, they have four children as follows Wilbur W, Lucy F, Raymond R, and Eugene B. all are married,

Augustus E, Reed born Dec, 6 1856, he never married and is running loose in Wyoming,

Clarence B, Reed born March 18 1858. he died July 14 1881. caused from striking his head against a rock while in swimming at Cemo Wyo.

Maurice H. Reed, born June 10 1859. he married Mrs Myra J. (Boyce) Miller, they live in Dawes Co. Neb. where he owns a valuable ranch they have two children, Ra'ph and Earl.

Eugene C. Reed, born Sep. 11 1861. married Miss Mary Harris, they have three children as follows, Harris, Adelia and Jenette. they live in Dawes Co. Neb. where he owns a farm.

Alburtus U. Reed, born March 5 1863. he married Miss C. Eva Brown they have six children. they have traveled around considerable, but now live at Basin Wyo.

On Aug. 11 1902. we started on a visit among relatives, traveling with a team of horses hitched to a spring wagon fitted up for the purpose. We traveled across Iowa, then along the Platte river as far as Kerney Neb. then southwest to Harlan Co. then back by Hastings to Grand Island, and from there home on nearly the same route we went. traveling about 1400 miles. We was gone three months. Nettie was almost an invalid when

we started, but she gained 18 pounds in weight during the trip.

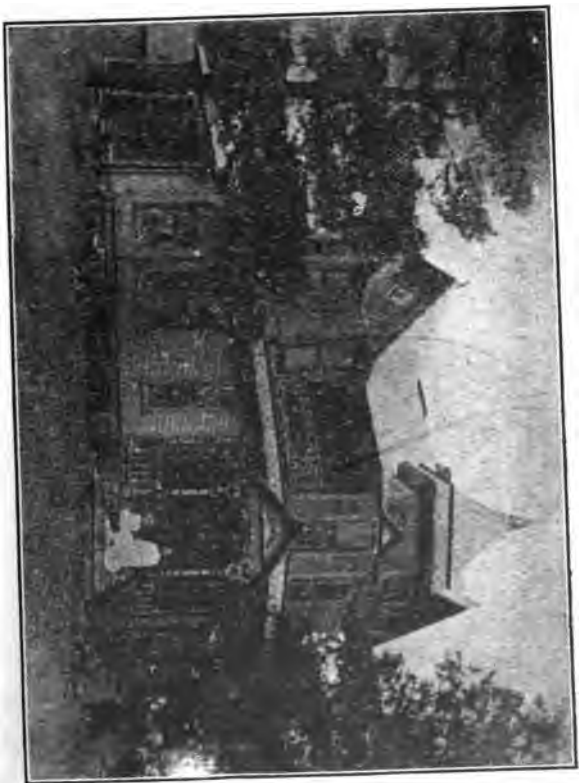
In Nov .1903. we adopted a boy baby, nine months old. he was born Feb. 2 1903. we named him E. Linwood Moore.

In the Spring of 1904, we finished paying off the mortgage and all other debts, so that the old home was once more free of debt.

In Nov. 1904 we visited the Worlds Fair at St. Louis Mo. where I purchased a saw mill which was on exhibition there. and during the Winter of 1905 - 6, we cut a lot of hard wood lumber from logs cut on the o'd place.

In the Spring 1909 we began preparations for building a new house, carefully taking down the old house, we run all the old lumber through a planeing mill, also the hard wood lumber. We built on the old foundation, my brother Frank superintending the work from plans I had drawn

In Sep. 1909 we adopted a baby girl, five weeks old, we named her Lela. she was born Aug 12.



HOME of U. S. MOORE. Lomax, Ill.

A
NARRATIVE
of
THREE BROTHERS EXPERIENCE
IN
THE CIVIL WAR.
GIVEN IN THEIR OWN WORDS.

Eadward A. Moore, Being first to Enlist.

On Aug. 20 1861 I enlisted as a soldier in the service of the U. S. Army. I served in the 10th Illinois Volunteer Infantry. We were sent to Cairo Ill. to join our Regiment, where we were mustered, examined and sworn in the Regt. as Company E. and the next day I was appointed

Corporal. When our Regt. was fully organized we was sent up the Mississippi river to Mound City to guard 3 Gun Boats that was being built there. We lay at Mound City ten months, about three months of the time I was down with the measles, I was placed on duty too soon on a rainy day, and the measles settled on my lungs, and I lost my voice, which I did not regain until the warm days of Spring.

In the Spring of 1862 we was sent to Birds Point Mo. while there our Company went on a two days scout after Jef Thompson, we routed him out of the swamps and came back to Birds Point. About three weeks after this we marched to New Madrid to reinforce the troops that was bombarding Island No. 10, we took part in the bombardment, and after the rebels evacuated New Madrid I was in the forced march to Tiptonville to head off the rebel army, which we did, and captured 6000 men and as many stand of arms, with 18 pieces of artillery.

After placing our prisoners on boats and starting them off for Rock Island, we returned to New Madrid. We lay there about three days, then we went down the river on steam boats, to reinforce the troops at Fort Pillow, but before we reached there, we got orders to go back and report to Gen Grant at Shiloh. arriving there on Friday after the battle.

We took part in the bombardment of Pulaski and the battle of Corinth May 27 1862. We was in the battle of Iuka Sep. 19. We then marched to Nashville Tenn. and on Dec. 31 and Jan. 2, we took part in the battle of Murfreesborough.

We lay in Nashville ten months, to hold that point. while there, we, the 10th Illinois, built Fort Negley, on Negley Hill, We was relieved of this post by some eastern troops, and we went to Rossville Ga. where on Dec, 31 1863 we was discharged, mustered out. and remustered into the service again, and received Vettran Furloughs for 30 days and went home. When the time was

up we returned to our Regt. which was then camped at Rossville Ga. On my arrival there I was promoted from Corporal to Sargent, in which capacity I served until the close of the war.

As soon as the veterans had all returned, we was pushed on in the direction of Atlanta Ga. We took an active part in all Skirmishes and a part of the battles along the rout. We fought at Buzzard Roost Gap. Peach Tree and Pumpkin Vine Creeks. Resaca. Chattanooga. Lookout Mountain. Mission Ridge. Kennasaw Moultain. and Atlanta

After we had captured Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain, and Missionary Ridge. we, the 10th, and 16th. Illinois Regiments was sent in pursuit of the rebels. we followed them about ten miles, and captured a part of their rear guards then returned to Chattanooga, where we lay in camp a week to recruit. We were then ordered at forced march, to Knoxville Ky. a distance of 180 miles, to reinforce Gen. Burnside's. When we were within

20 miles of Knoxville the rebel Gen. heard of the reinforcements coming and retreated into Virginia. We was then ordered back to Chattanooga, where we lay about a week and then pushed on in the direction of Atlanta. The march from Chattanooga to Atlanta was almost a continuous battlefield.

On the 14th of Nov. we burned Atlanta and began the famous March to the Sea, more than 250 miles away, with 60000 men. We entered Savannah on the morning of Dec. 21 1864.

After a stay of about a month at Savannah, our division took transportation on board a steamer and went by water to Hilton Head S. C. from there we marched by the way of Charleston S. C. to Raleigh N. C. arriving there April 13. This was the end of the great march. A short time after this the southern army surrendered to Gen Grant. After this we was ordered to march to Washington to pass a final grand Review of the Union Army, We were at Washington about four weeks, and then was sent to Louisville Ky. where

we was mustered out of the service on the 4th day of July. We stayed at Louisville about two weeks, when we was sent to Chicago Ill. where we received our discharge on the 17th. day of July 1865. and we was free to go home.

I stayed in Chicago about a week and arrived home on the 26th. I was then confronted with the problem of making a home. I had given four years of the prime of my life to the service of the country. Patriotically, I am proud of it. Financially, I see my mistake. Those who did not respond to their countrys call. but remained at home and reaped the harvest of high prices of crops, brought about by the war, was already on the road to wealth.

I struggled along, and when my health began to fail I obtained a pension of \$ 6.00 per month. I am now an old man, my health is broken down. I shall soon answer the last great roll call.

Edward A. Moore.

William H. Moore.

On Aug. 2 1862 I was sworn into the U. S. service by Squire Samuell Harvey, for three years or during the war. My recruiting officer was Alva Paul.

We went to Springfield Ill. and went in camp six miles East of Springfield, at camp Butler; and there we was organized and officered into the 91 st Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and

was mustered into the U. S. service as Company B. on the 8th of Sep. 1862. We was drilled; and guarded prisoners there until Oct. 1. when we were shipped by rail to camp Jo Holt Ind. then we marched across the Ohio river on a pontoon bridge, and through Louisville Ky. to camp Oakland, and from there to Shepherdsville, 30 miles south. We lay in camp here until the 14th. then marched 60 miles farther south where we scouted, and skirmished, with rebel Gen. John Morgans forces. Then guarded railroad bridges until the 25th. when our Co. with Co's A. and C. was sent back to Shepherdsville, where we expected to stay all winter, but on Dec. 9 we marched south along the L. and N. Railroad.

Five Co's of our Regt. was left at Elizabethtown. Our Co. was sent 14 miles south to Bacon Creek, where we worked hard to strengthen our Stockade and prepare for winter. But on the 26th of Dec. our guards was driven in, and we was completely surrounded by Gen. John Morgans

forces, consisting of five Regiments of Mounted Infantry, and five pieces of Light Artillery. We had 64 men in the Stockade. A flag of truce was sent in to us, with a demand to surrender. but we would not; and fought them five hours.

We then surrendered on conditions. Having none killed and but five wounded. I received a shot over my left ear, thought at first to be serious, but proved to be only slight. For fear of being re-captured; they did not undertake to get us to Libby or Andersonville prisons, so they disarmed us, and turned us loose on parole, of which the following is a duplicate.

Headquarters, Army of Ky.

Harden Co. Ky.

Dec. 26 1862.

Wm H. Moore private Co. B. 91 st Regt Ill. Vol. Having this day been taken prisoner by the Confederate States forces, is released on parole, on the conditions agreed upon in the Cartel regulating the exchange of prisoners between the United States and Confederate States.

By Command, Gen. Morgan.

The next day we followed the rebel army until we came to Elizabethtown, where 8 Co's of our Regt. had concentrated; and stood them a fight. Several of our men were killed.

We were on a hill-top where we could see both armys fighting; about sunset we could see our men hoist the white flag and surrender. Then Gen. Morgan had us shut up in the measles hospital, and we were all exposed.

Early Sunday morning, Dec. 28 th. we started for Louisville Ky. a distance of 100 miles, with no money or food. By begging and foraging we arrived at Louisville by noon of the 30 th. Then we crossed the river to New Albany and took the cars and went home.

I was home about six weeks, then I went back to my Regt. Benton Barrack, St. Louis Mo. There to await the exchange of prisoners of war which was made the first of June 1863.

About July 7 we went on board transport boats for Vicksburg, where we landed on the 16th

and camped until the 23rd. when we boarded transports and moved down the river to Port Hudson, where we camped until Aug. 6th. when we went to guard the 1st Ind. heavy artillery of 100 wagons, to Baton Rouge. we then returned to Port Hudson.

On Aug. 12 1863 we boarded the transports and moved down the river to Carrollton Miss. There were 15 steamers in line, and the fog was so heavy we could not see the boat ahead or behind us, the length of a boat apart. We camped about one mile North of New Orleans.

While there our troops were reviewed once by Gen. Banks. and twice by Gen. U. S. Grant. This is the only time I saw Gen. Grant.

After this, quite an army, with Gen. Herron in command, was sent by transports, up the river to Morganza La. where we fought the battle of the Atchafalla River. The first days fighting was in the Cyprus Swamps. The weather was very hot; we was without water so long. and when we

did get water it was very bad, and I drank too much, which started a diarrhoea; which in spite of the Doctors lasted three months.

Oct. 10. 1863 we was sent back to New Orleans to recruit, until the Red River Expedition in which we took a part. On the 23rd we was put on board Gulf Steamers. We was a detachment of the Red River Expedition sent to cut off the rebel supplies from foreign nations.

There was 32 boats in the fleet. we encountered a bad storm and two boats were wrecked and sunk. I was very seasick for 8 days which completely cured me of the diarrhoea.

We landed on Brazos Island. From there we marched 40 miles up the river to old Ft. Brown. We remained here on Garrison duty until about the middle of July 1864. when we left Brownsville and came back to Brazos Island, where we stayed until Christmas day, when our Regt was put on board a Gulf Steamer and sent back to New Orleans.

While at Brownsville our Chaplin held a series of meetings and I gave my heart to God. While here I witnessed the execution of a soldier for desertion. I enjoyed the trip back to New Orleans very much. We stayed in the City six weeks on Provost duty.

Then we went to Lake Ponchatrain and took boats and went to the mouth of Mobile Bay and went in camp three days at Navy Cove. Then began that difficult march around the East side of Mobile Bay to Spanish Fort before Mobile, where we engaged in a 13 days Siege and took the fort. Then we crossed the Bay and marched through Mobile to Whistler Station, where we overtook the enemy and had quite a fight.

From there we went up the Mobile River to Nina Hubba Bluffs and camped a few days. we was there when Lincoln was assassinated. Then we moved on up the Tombigby river to McIntosh Bluff, there we lay in camp until the surrender of Dick Taylor and Gen. Lee. and war was over.

When the rebel gun boats and transports came along our men took charge of the fleet. and got aboard the boats and came to Mobile and camped at Whistler Station. While there I saw the explosion of the Magazine that contained all the amunition that Dick Taylor had surrendered. the shock was so great it leveled three blocks, broke every window in the city, and brought horses to their knees in our camp $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles away.

We were mustered out of the service July 11 1865 at Mobile. Then we went to New Orleans and took boats for Cario Ill. and by rail to Camp Butler, Where I was mustered into the service 3 years before. There I got my final discharge and started home; Home once more, with futher. mother, brothers, sisters, and friends, Oh! the joy!

When I look over that three years of my soldier life it seems like only a dream.

William H. Moore. ;

Samuell F. Moore.

When my brother Eadward enlisted as a soldier, I had a great desire to join in the conflict for the preservation of the Union. But being only 13 years old, I had to remain home awhile longer.

Then in 1862 when brother William enlisted the flame of patriotism again flashed up, and I resolved to enter into the service at the first opportunity; which privilage was refused me until

brother Eadward came home on veteran furlough I succeeded in enlisting in Co. E. Ill. Regt. Vol. Infantry; Jan. 16 1864, at Oquawka Ill. and was mustered in as a U. S. Soldier Being 15½ years old.

When the army broke camp near the Chattahooche river to move on Atlanta I was taken sick with Typhoid fever, and was taken by Ambulance to the division field Hospital, July 17th and the next day I was put aboard an old box car and was taken to the General Field Hospital at Chattanooga Tenn. I remained there several days Then I was again put in a box car with as many others as could be put in; But this time there was a whole train load of sick and wounded; In the car I was in some would pray and moan and groan with pain; and others would moan, groan and swear; but before we got to Nashville I became unconscious; and when I recovered consciousness I found myself in the first division 3rd ward, general hospital, No. 19 Nashville Tenn. Where I remained under doctors care until I had

recovered enough to be able for light duty, when I was detailed as assistant nurse. I served in this capacity until about Nov. 1 1864.

Then came an order from Sherman, for all who was able for duty, to report; Accordingly about 800 of us started for the front; but when we got to Chattanooga, we was ordered to go into camp; where 50 of us was detailed to guard a Military Prison; to prevent the prisoners escaping, and take them out in turns to work.

We remained on guard duty there until Feb 1 st 1865 when Sherman again ordered us to the front. So we were organized in Co's and Battalions, with 100 men in a Company and 10 Co's in a Battalion; with such officers as was available, in command.

About Feb. 15 th we started to join Shermans army; going by rail to Nashville Tenn. then to Louisville Ky. and from there by steamboat up the Ohio river to Cincinnati. then by rail to Pittsburg Pa. and to Annapolis Md. arriving

there Feb. 26th. We stayed there until Monday March 5, we went aboard the large ocean Steamship, New York, and started for Beaufort N. C. about 36 hours run; but Monday night we encountered a violent storm which lasted until noon the next day; The ship became unmanagable and was driven South until we were below Savannah.

It was Saturday evening when we got back in sight of the harbor of Beaufort; and Sunday March 13 we were piloted in, and we got off the vessel and camped for the night.

Then we went by rail to Kingston to take part in a battle that was fought there; We remained there a few days after the battle, then we marched to Goldsborough N C. There we met Shermans army, and joined our own Regiment.

We remained here until April then marched to Raleigh, where Sherman received the surrender of Johnstons army, and the war came to a close. We then marched to Washington, where in May the war-worn Union Veterans 65 000 in

number, with their faded uniforms and tattered banners, passed in Grand Review through the streets of the National Capitol.

We then disbanded, and we went to Louisville Ky. and was mustered out of the service July 4th. Then we went to Chicago and received our discharge on the 17th day of July 1865. We was then free to go home.

Samuell F. Moore.

The glorious Union shall not perish!
Precious legacy of our fathers, it shall go down
honored and cherished to our children.

— Everett,

Upon a nations grateful heart,
They're written down by memory's pen;
And time shall never dare erase
The deeds of patriotic men.

— Barker,

The following is a copy of a letter, written to John Bennett by his brother Samuell.

Ipswich, England, July 4 1859

Dear Brother :- I received your letter, and we was glad to hear, you and all, was so well as you were; and we hope these few lines will find you and all quite well; as it leaves me and my wife, except old age, and that gets a hold of us both,

I wrote and tried to find your daughter Eliza, But I am sorry to say, I cannot hear anything about her. I could not find neither her husband nor his father; and I had the letters come back to me that I sent; and they think, and so do I, that she must be somewhere near you, for we don't think she is in England; and we think you had better have her put in the papers, and that will find her.

I am sorry to tell you brother James of Bramford, is dead; he was taken ill last April, and died June 24th. he was doing much the same as when you left and did up to the time of his death; his wife and family send their love to you all, and they are all well. Their sons, George and James, left home four years ago, and have not heard of them since.

Hannen married to Abbatt, of Sproughton, that you did work with, he is game keeper at Nacton Hall, near Ipswich. I am sorry I cannot tell you much about my son Samuell, he went away with a traveling family, and the last time I heard of him, that is about 18 months ago, he was at California. John Layton is dead, and his widow lives with her

son in the same house that you lived in at Emsett. Hannens step-son is living in the same place.

Robert Orbarn's wife is very ill, and all send their love. Charles Brown's daughter would like to come over, but she says it costs so much.

John Hill sends his love to all. I cannot say any thing about the Browns, I have not seen them since your brother was burried the 28th of June.

My son Henry is in Londen and is doing well and is quite well. Our kind love to all, and remain your Brother and Sister — Bennett.

S. Bennett,

6 Lady Lane

Ipswich.

When you write let me know if you have heard of your daughter Eliza.

APPENDIX.

A few Notes and Happenings Of Later Date.

Winter of 1913:

Elizebeth (Bennett) Batram; (Aunt Betsey) still lives with her daughter near Howell Mich. She was 82 years old in Oct. 1912.

Mrs. Eliza (Love) Drew died March 18 1910. from injuries received from being thrown out of a carriage at a railroad crossing.

Arthur and Louise Drew have three children born as follows; Morris, Dec. 7 1903. Ellis, Mar. 23. 1906. Theron, May 22 1909.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hoyt are still in the employ. of the Chicago Parental School.

Mrs. Sally (Kirkham) Lowe died Feb. 23 1912.
Mr. Lowe still lives near Howell Mich.

Edwin Lowe married Tressa Russick, they
have one child, Thelma.

Eva Lowe was married to John Martin, they
have three children.

Mary Lowe was married to Samuell Spare,
they have three children.

Hattie Lowe married Ernest Loundsberry,
they have three children.

NOTE— There has been a number of changes
among our relatives in Michigan, the dates and
particulars of which I have been unable to obtain.

Wm H. Moore, during the summer of 1905
built a nice comfortable home in Orleans, Neb.
where they lived until the fall of 1907 when they
sold out and moved to Kansas City, Kan. and
bought the home in which they now live.

Ella Timmins lives in Kansas City also, their
son Harry, is married and lives in Chicago Ill.
the other children are at home.

Elsworth Moore lives at St. Joseph, Mo. where

he has a good paying position as bookkeeper for a wholesale hardware firm.

Joel Moore is still in the window trming business.

Harriett E (moore) VanHoosen still lives at Corvallis Ore. her daughter, Elcia B, (Mrs Young) died July 23 1911. at Corvallis.

Frank was married June 22 1911. he is in the monument business at Corvallis.

Bert is married and has two children,

Hattie was married to A. A. Day May 29 1912.

E. A. Moore died April 30 1910. he suffered terribly for several years from a cronic bladder trouble, he bore the suffering with great patience, he was burried in the Laharpe Cemetry, by order of the G. A. R. Geddes Post No. 42. where he rests, awaiting the reward of a brave soldier.

Another veteran sinks to rests;

His earthly pilgrimage is o'er,

His last dread battle now is fought,

And he has made a happier shore.

—Barker.

Mary Elizabeth (moore) Pierce died Dec. 8 1911. at Moline Ill. from the effects of an operation for appendicitis. she was brought home and laid to rest in the Laharpe Cemetery.

Laurel was married to John David of Colchester Ill. Dec. 21 1905, they have four children.

Lena was married to Charles Lovell Oct. 5 1907. they have one child.

Murray married Ellen [Stump] Lynch, Feb, 29 1903. their two children are Bertha and Raymond.

Edna married to Gaylord Lovell July 15 1908.

Mary A. [moore] VanHoosen and husband are now living in Central City Neb. they celebrated their Golden Wedding July 2 1912. their children are all married. Eadward, lives in Grand Island Neb. they have three children.

Lillian was married to Wm Powell, they have three children, they live at Angora Neb.

Margaret, was married to Harvey Moore, they live at North Yakima, Wash.

Charles F. VanHoosen died Dec. 17, 1912. he lived at Sterling Colo. he had been an engineer on the Burlington road for eight years. he had gone as far as Brush, with a train of 65 cars, when he got down to oil the engine, he had climbed up on the driving rod to reach certain parts, when the engine suddenly backed a few feet, crushing him between the rod and air-chamber. he was taken to Central City, Neb. for burial.

S. F. Moore still lives at Hastings Iowa, his wife, Jennie, died March 14, 1908. of pleuro-pneumonia. she was buried at Hastings.

—There has been a number of changes among the children, but I have been unable to obtain the dates and particulars.

Elizabeth (moore) Howell, was married to Byron Shaw in the Spring of 1908.

Win E. Howell married E. Pearl Mc Guire on April 11, 1906. their children. Geo H. born Apr. 24 1907. died April 17, 1908. Paul E. April 12

1909. Charles C. Aug. 9 1911.

Oscar C. Howell lives at Armstrong Iowa. they have four children. Geo Gurney, June 19 1903 Chester C. Oct. 20 1905. Edgar F. Aug. 7 1907. Margaurite M. Dec. 4 1911.

Mary (Howell) Kniss lives in Monmouth Ill. their children are Harold, Thelma, and Glen.

Geo Frank Moore is now living at Lomax, Ill. their children are all gone from home.

Arthur, is living with his sister, May, they are farming together, at Wallingford Iowa.

May E. (moore) Campbell has four children Geo H. Dec. 7 1902. John W. Sep, 21 1904. Helen Louise Oct. 8 1906. Chester A. Mar. 2 1910. her husband, Harry W. Campbell, died May. 28 1911. with appendicitis. he was born Jan. 26 1880,

Willis W. is in Chicago Ill. at present working at the machinist trade.

Elcia P. (moore) Kemp lives in Decorra Ill. their children married as follows.

Cora G. to Miller Apt, Feb. 23 1900. they have four children, Verna V. born Aug. 4 1900. Sadie A. Feb 21 1903. A. Emaline, Dec. 12 1905. Elsie C. July 4 1909.

John Marion, married Ollie Cargill June 20, 1901. their children are, Cecil A. Mar. 17 1902. Eldrid E. June 13 1905. Grace M, Jan, 4 1907. Ruby M, Jan, 13 1909.

Esther H, was married to John Halbasch Aug 31 1904 their two children are G, Fern, Sep, 25 1905. John Orin, April 24 1909.

Hattie was married June 28 1903. to Ben Wickell, they have four children,

Sadie, was married Mar, 12 1908, to Silas Apt, their child Amy B, was born Aug, 4 1909.

George W, married Katie Ank, Nov, 27 1909, their daughter Dcrathy was born 1912.

Ruth, married Hough Glazebrook, Aug, 17 1910,

Rachel, married Jan, 27 1912, to Harry Cargill,

J, C, Moore, is still on the farm. their son, Roy, married Ida Scott, Oct, 2 1912, they live at Decorra Ill, he is station agent for the Santa Fe railroad Co, at that place.

Nettie and I are still here on the old place. There is a new city being started here, and we are within the limits of the optioned town-site of 25000 acres. If they succeed, and take the old place, they will pay us \$231.00 an acre. It will be in the residence and park districts, and we intend to try to buy back a few lots where the house stands, if we can, for a home, if we can't we will locate in some other part of the world.

BIRTHDAY DATES and ADDRESS'.

Arranged In Familybetical Order.

Names	Birthdays	Address	Page
John Bennett.	Mar. 14		15
Mary Ann(Brown)Pennett.	Easter Sunday, 1795.		16
Mary A (Bennett)Kirkham.			17
Emeline(Kirkham)Coddington.			17
Adaline ,, Remington.			17
Ada ,, Sutherland.			18
Claud Dennett.	Jan 18	Mead Mich.	19
Claton ,,	Jun 22	,,	19
Lant Sutherland.	July 11	New Haven	
Archie ,,	Jan 16	,,	
Sally(Kirkham.)Lowe.	Sep 5	Howell	20
Alice V, Lowe	Mar 4	,,	21
Lucinda ,,	June 23	,,	
Charles C, ,,	July 26	,,	
John E. ,,	Dec 23	,,	
Eva O. (,,) Martin	June 27	,,	
Mary L (,,) Spare	June 25	,,	
Hattie R. (,,) Loundsberry	Aug 12	,,	
Floyd W. ,,	Apr 13	,,	
Giles Kirkham		Washington, Mich.	
Malon ,,		New Haven ,,	
Keziah (Bennett) Love	Aug 13		
Mary (Love) Mattles	Mas 9	Howell	,,
Lavina (Mattles) Spice	Mar 8	Choctah	22
Orra M. ,, Marr	Mar 5	Lafayette	23
Mary K. ,, Dean	Nov 4	Oak Grove	,,

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Emma (Love) Wallace,	Feb 23	Bishop Cal.	23
Della T. (Wallace) McIntire	Oct 10	Austin Nev.	
Wallace B. McIntire	Apr 30		
Lesley R.	June 20		
Gladys L.	May 2		
Arthur E. Wallace	Dec 18	Webster N. Y.	
Geo L.	Apr 26		
Roy E.	Mar 23		
Arthur G.	June 1		
Luella Wallace	July 4		
Emma K. (,) Newlon	Sept 10		
Eliza (Love) Drew	Aug 14	Howell Mich.	24
Eula M. (Drew) Hoyt	Mar 21	" "	
Mary N. (,) Phelps	Nov 20	" "	25
Arthur Drew	Feb 20	" "	
Louise (Marlow) Drew	June 27	" "	
Morris Drew	Dec 17	" "	
Ellis (,) "	Mar 23	" "	
Theron (,) "	May 22	" "	
Ellen (Love) Lyons	July 20	" "	
Amanda (,) Thomas	Oct 3	" "	
Blanche (Thomas) Hammond	Nov	Owosso "	
Francis Hammond	Nov 16	" "	
Bertha (Thomas) Basing	Aug 3	Howell "	
Cara Thomas	Oct 4	" "	
Clyde (,) "	Nov 22	Lansing "	
Charlotte Love	Feb 3	Howell "	26
Frank (,) "	Feb 12	" "	
Rose (,) Kirkham	Apr 29	" "	
Ira Kirkham	Oct 4	" "	
Elizabeth (Bennet) Batram	Oct 1831	" "	27
Mary [Batram] Marlow	Nov 1	" "	
William Moore	July 16 1812		2
Harriett [Bennett] Moore	Dec 11 1819		8
Wm H. Moore	Mar 30	Kansas City Kan.	50
Miram [Hargrove, Moore]	Jan 26 1844		51

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Elia (Moore) Timmins	Aug 11	Kansas City Kan.	53
J. W. Timmins	Mar 3	" " "	54
Harry "	Nov 2)	" " "	
Homer "	Sep 13	" " "	
Vaughn "	Aug 12	" " "	
Baula "	Apr 29	" " "	
W. E. Moore	Feb 1	St. Joseph Mo.	
Ethal M. (Gibson) Moore	Mar 22	" " "	55
Arthur R. Moore	Aug 20	" " "	
Joel Moore	May 27	" " "	
H. E. (,,) Van Hoosen	Jan 1	Corvallis Ore.	57
Elcia B. (,,) Young	June 10	" " "	
Velva L. Young	Dec 16	" " "	
Frank J. Van Hoosen	July 29	" " "	60
Ida L. "	Aug 30	" " "	61
Bert L. "	Aug 5	" " "	
Hattie E. (,,) Day	Sep 6	" " "	62
E. A. Moore	Dec 12	" " "	63
Orrilla (Frazell) Moore	Aug 22	Laharpe " "	64
F. Enola (Moore) Francis	Nov 3	" " "	67
Lettie O. (,,) Cain	Mar 18	" " "	
Murray F. Moore	June 6	" " "	
Z. Vivinnie (,,) Carnes	July 2	" " "	
Pearl Carnes	Mar 24	" " "	
Laural A. (Moore) David	July 14	" " "	
Edna V. (,,) Lovell	Sep 21	" " "	
Lena L. (,,) "	June 12	" " "	
Mary A. Van Hoosen	Jan 12	Central City Neb.	69
Henry "	Aug 15	" " "	71
Rose M. " Phelps	Mar 21	North Yakami Wash.	74
Wm H. "	Jan 9	" " "	
John "	May 9	Central City Neb	75
J. Ewd "	Aug 27	" " "	76
Dorathy "	Sep 23	" " "	
Donald "	Jan 25	" " "	
Lillian " Powell	Mar 20	Angora " "	
Wilma "	July 9	" " "	
Winnifred "	Feb 2	" " "	
Margaret " Moore	Jan 13	North Yakami Wash.	

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S. F. Moore	Aug 24	Hastings Iowa	77
V. Jennie (Porter) Moore	Nov 25		
M. Ella (Moore) Tyler	Sep 11	Council Bluffs ,,	79
Hattie A. (Moore) Witcher	Jan 23	,, ,, "	81
Francis L. (,,) Lowery	Feb 23		
Jessie S. Moore	Sep 27	Hastings Iowa	
Daisy Ila ,,	Dec 20	,, "	
Samie M. ,,	Apr 18	,, "	
Robin E. ,,	Mar 24	,, "	
S. E (Moore)(Howell) Shaw	Mar 21	Augusta ,,	82
Byron Shaw	Jan 20	1849	
Wm E. Howell	Feb 26	Dolliver ,,	84
E. Pearl (McGuire)Howell	Mar 14		
Oscar C. Howell	Mar 5	Armstrong ,,	
Hattie (,,) Houk	Nov 13		
Mary M. (,,) Kniss	Nov 27	Monmouth Ill.	
Edgar G. Kniss	Dec 9		
Harold J. ,,	Aug 22		
Thelma L. ,,	May 20		
Geo F. Moore	Dec 30	Lomax Ill.	86
Effie (Wiley) Moore	Aug 13		
Arthnr F. ,,	Oct 5	Wallingford Iowa	89
May E. (Moore) Campbell	Dec 18	,, "	
Willis W. ,,	Jan 1	Chicago Ill.	
Elcia P (Moore) Kemp	Mar 5	Decorra ,,	90
George Kemp	May 8	,, "	
J. Marion ,,	July 11	,, "	92
Cora G. ,Kemp, Apt	Aug 17		
Esther B. ,, Halbasch	Sep 5		
Hattie E. ,, Wickel	Sep 14		
Sadie R. ,, Apt	Sep 28		
Geo W, ,,	July 17	,, "	
Ruth ,, Glazebrook	Jan 10		
Rachel ,, Cargil	Jan 6		
Minnie B. ,,	Jan 9	,, "	
Dale V. ,,	Apr 5	,, "	
John C. Moore	Feb 4	Lomax Ill.	93
Roy B. ,,	Mar 23	Decorra ,,	134
Ila ,Scott, Moore			

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U. S. Moore	Jan 30	Lemax	Ill. 96
Nettie (Reed) Moore	July 16	„	„ 99
Linwood Moore	Feb 2	„	„
Lela „	Aug 12	„	„
Wm H. Reed	June 9	Laramie	Wyo. 100
Oscar P. „	Sep 7	Edmonton	Can.
Ella A. (,,) Clark	Aug 22	Fleak	N. Dak.
Laura E (,,) Phelps	Dec 25	Clarks	Neb. 101
Augustus E. Reed	Dec 6		
Maurice H. „	June 10	Hough	„ 102
Eugene C. „	Sep 11	„	„
A. U. „	Mar 5	Basin	Wyo
Vera Sebring	June 18	1895	
Joel Mason	Sep 28	Smithshire	Ill.
Vennie „	Nov 8	„	„

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